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Samuel Webb House
Vienna
c. 1839-40
Private

Merchant Sameul Webb (1809-1874) financed construction of this well-detailed two-story frame dwelling around 1839-40 after his purchase of land on Market Street in 1838. The timber frame house retains a high degree of architectural and historical integrity despite its deteriorating condition. Intact layers of beaded weatherboards, exterior common bond brick chimneys, and largely undisturbed Federal/Greek Revival interior woodwork contribute to its high degree of integrity. The story-and-a-half kitchen wing dates to the same period as the two-story main block, and part of it was raised to a two-story height to meet the level of the original side hall/parlor main block shortly after initial construction, which added a desperately needed new chamber.

Listed in the seventh census of the United States as a 40-year old merchant, Samuel Webb is grouped with his wife Elizabeth, aged 32, and five young children, Walter, 11; Thomas, 9; John W., 7; Theodore, 4; and 1 year old Laurann. Also identified in the household was James W. Thompson, a 21-year old store clerk. Thomas Webb (1841-1894), evidently born in the house, served in the Confederate army during the Civil War. The house and corner lot remained in Webb family ownership through the balance of the nineteenth century, however, John W. T. Webb, representing his father who had been declared a lunatic, negotiated a transfer of the title to his Civil War veteran brother, Thomas J. Webb, in September 1874. Webb family ownership of the property was maintained until 1906 when the house and lot were sold to Margaret A. Millard.

William R. Bratten purchased the Webb house in 1942, and it was held by Bratten family members until 1991.

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Inventory No. D-162

1. Name of Property (indicate preferred name)

historic Samuel Webb House

other William Bratten House

2. Location

street and number 201 Market not for publication

city, town Vienna vicinity

county Dorchester

3. Owner of Property (give names and mailing addresses of all owner)

name Merritt Enterprises, LLC Contact: Steve Andrews

street and number 29201 Woodridge Drive telephone 410-310-0406

city, town Easton state MD zip code 21601

4. Location of Legal Description

courthouse, registry of deeds, etc. Dorchester County Clerk of Court liber MLB 860 folio 210

city, town Cambridge tax map 500 tax parcel 103 tax ID number 3-038513

5. Primary Location of Additional Data

- ☐ Contributing Resource in National Register District
☐ Contributing Resource in Local Historic District
☐ Determined Eligible for the National Register/Maryland Register
☐ Determined Ineligible for the National Register/Maryland Register
☐ Recorded by HABS/HAER
☐ Historic Structure Report or Research Report at MHT
☐ Other:

6. Classification

Category	Ownership	Current Function	Resource Count
<input type="checkbox"/> district	<input type="checkbox"/> public	<input type="checkbox"/> agriculture	Contributing
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> building(s)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> private	<input type="checkbox"/> landscape	Noncontributing
<input type="checkbox"/> structure	<input type="checkbox"/> both	<input type="checkbox"/> commerce/trade	1
<input type="checkbox"/> site		<input type="checkbox"/> defense	
<input type="checkbox"/> object		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> domestic	
		<input type="checkbox"/> education	
		<input type="checkbox"/> funerary	
		<input type="checkbox"/> government	1
		<input type="checkbox"/> health care	
		<input type="checkbox"/> industry	
		<input type="checkbox"/> recreation/culture	
		<input type="checkbox"/> religion	
		<input type="checkbox"/> social	
		<input type="checkbox"/> transportation	
		<input type="checkbox"/> work in progress	
		<input type="checkbox"/> unknown	
		<input type="checkbox"/> vacant/not in use	
		<input type="checkbox"/> other:	
			Total

Number of Contributing Resources previously listed in the Inventory

7. Description

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Condition

<input type="checkbox"/> excellent	<input type="checkbox"/> deteriorated
<input type="checkbox"/> good	<input type="checkbox"/> ruins
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> fair	<input type="checkbox"/> altered

Prepare both a one paragraph summary and a comprehensive description of the resource and its various elements as it exists today.

The Samuel Webb house, also known as the William Bratten house, stands at 201 Market Street on the northwest corner of the intersection of Market and Church streets in the town of Vienna, Dorchester County, Maryland. The two-story, five-bay, center hall/single-pile plan frame dwelling, built around 1839-40, is supported on a brick pier foundation, and the exterior is clad with beaded weatherboards. The steeply pitched roof is covered with asphalt shingles. Attached to the main block is a story-and-a-half kitchen wing that extends to the southwest.

Built around 1839-40, the Samuel Webb house was originally conceived as a two-story, three-bay side hall/parlor plan dwelling that had a story-and-a-half dining room/kitchen wing extending from its southwest gable end. Shortly after initial construction, part of the kitchen wing was raised to a full two-story height, thereby yielding the five-bay façade of the main block. Seams in the beaded weatherboards front and back attest to this building history.

The southeast (main) façade of the main house is an asymmetrical five-bay elevation with a central door opening and flanking two-over-two sash windows. The front entrance is fitted with a Victorian era four-panel door, which is topped by a four-light transom. The center three bays of the first story elevation are sheltered by a Victorian era flat-roofed porch featuring Eastlake influence gathered stick style support posts and decorative eave of sawn brackets. The second story is pierced by an uneven series of two-over-two sash windows. Finishing the base of the roof is a boxed cornice.

The northeast gable end is dominated by an exterior five-course common bond brick chimney stack featuring a corbelled base and corbelled shoulder at the second story level. The stack is finished with a corbelled cap. Piercing the gable end wall on each side of the chimney stack are two-over-two sash windows, and four-pane window openings light the attic. The gable end is finished flush with a beaded edge bargeboard.

The northwest (rear) elevation is an asymmetrical four-bay elevation of beaded weatherboards; and the vertical seam in the weatherboards identifying the shift in construction periods is clearly visible. A rear entrance is flanked by two-over-two sash windows.

The southwest gable end is partially covered by the story-and-a-half service wing that includes a dining room in the center space. Rising through the kitchen wing and against the gable end of the main block is an exterior brick chimney stack of common bond coursing. Four-pane windows light the main attic.

The kitchen wing has a gable roofed dormer on its southeast slope, and it dates from the first period of construction. Diagonal laid boards distinguish the sides of the dormer, and the window sash are missing. Rising on the gable end of the kitchen is an exterior common bond brick stack

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with a large base that corbels inward to a single flue stack. Attached to the back of the kitchen wing is a shed roofed addition.

The interior of the main block survives with a large percentage of its late Federa/Greek Revival influenced woodwork and lath and plaster walls.

8. Significance

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Period	Areas of Significance	Check and justify below		
<input type="checkbox"/> 1600-1699	<input type="checkbox"/> agriculture	<input type="checkbox"/> economics	<input type="checkbox"/> health/medicine	<input type="checkbox"/> performing arts
<input type="checkbox"/> 1700-1799	<input type="checkbox"/> archeology	<input type="checkbox"/> education	<input type="checkbox"/> industry	<input type="checkbox"/> philosophy
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1800-1899	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> architecture	<input type="checkbox"/> engineering	<input type="checkbox"/> invention	<input type="checkbox"/> politics/government
<input type="checkbox"/> 1900-1999	<input type="checkbox"/> art	<input type="checkbox"/> entertainment/ recreation	<input type="checkbox"/> landscape architecture	<input type="checkbox"/> religion
<input type="checkbox"/> 2000-	<input type="checkbox"/> commerce	<input type="checkbox"/> ethnic heritage	<input type="checkbox"/> law	<input type="checkbox"/> science
	<input type="checkbox"/> communications	<input type="checkbox"/> exploration/ settlement	<input type="checkbox"/> literature	<input type="checkbox"/> social history
	<input type="checkbox"/> community planning		<input type="checkbox"/> maritime history	<input type="checkbox"/> transportation
	<input type="checkbox"/> conservation		<input type="checkbox"/> military	<input type="checkbox"/> other: _____

Specific dates

Architect/Builder

Construction dates

Evaluation for:

☐ National Register

☐ Maryland Register

☒ not evaluated

Prepare a one-paragraph summary statement of significance addressing applicable criteria, followed by a narrative discussion of the history of the resource and its context. (For compliance projects, complete evaluation on a DOE Form – see manual.)

SIGNIFICANCE

The Samuel Webb house, known more recently as the William Bratten house, stands out in Vienna as a prominent example of second quarter of the nineteenth century domestic architecture and one of approximately fifteen structures dating to this prosperous period of Vienna's past. The timber frame dwelling retains a high degree of architectural and historical integrity due to intact layers of beaded weatherboards, exterior common bond brick chimneys and largely undisturbed Federal/Greek Revival interior woodwork. The kitchen wing dates from the same period as the main block and seams in the exterior weatherboards indicate part of it was raised to two-story height to meet the full roof height of the original side hall/parlor plan dwelling shortly after initial construction. The house is currently in poor repair and slated for demolition in September 2009.

HISTORY AND SUPPORT

Merchant Samuel Webb (1809-1874) financed construction of this well-detailed two-story frame dwelling around 1839-40 after his purchase of land in the town of Vienna in 1838.¹ Listed in the seventh census of the United States (1850) as a 40-year old merchant, he is grouped with his wife Elizabeth Webb, age 32, and five young children; Walter, 11, Thomas, 9, John W., 7, Theodore, 4 and 1-year old Laurann. Also listed in the household was James W. Thompson, a 21-year old store clerk.² Thomas Webb (1841-1894), evidently born in the house, served in the Confederate army during the Civil War.³ The house and corner lot remained in Webb family ownership through the balance of the nineteenth century, however, John W. T. Webb, representing his father who had been declared a lunatic, negotiated a transfer of

¹ Dorchester County Land Records, ER 17/28, 26 October 1838; ER 17/76, 7 December 1838.

² Seventh Census of the United States (1850), Dorchester County Population Schedule, transcribed and published by Debra Smith Moxey, 1977.

³ Marshall, Nellie M., *Tombstone Records of Dorchester County, 1678-2002*, Dorchester County Historical Society, 2002.

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ownership to Civil War veteran Thomas J. Webb in September 1874.⁴ Webb family ownership of the property was maintained until 1906 when the house and lot were conveyed to Margaret A. Millard.⁵ William R. Bratten purchased the Webb house in 1942 and it was held by Bratten family members until 1991.⁶

⁴ Dorchester County Land Record, FJH 9/586, 28 September 1874. Land record cites Dorchester County Chancery Case No. 780 between John W. T. Webb, trustee of Samuel Webb, lunatic, and Samuel Webb, lunatic, defendant.

⁵ Dorchester County Land Record, CL 33/179, 26 November 1906; CL 33/191, 9 October 1906.

⁶ Dorchester County Land Record, PLC 267/626, 10 May 1991.

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Chain of title Map 500, Parcel 103

MLB 860/210

Michael J. Spears, Director of Finance for
Dorchester County

to

4.07.2008

Merritt Enterprises, LLC

Property sold at tax sale, 6.20.2006, \$50,000

MLB 326/211

Thomas C. Robinson, Jr. and Diane M. Robinson

to

9.26.1996

William H. Littleton and Ann Rhodes Littleton

PLC 267/626

Howard Beckwith Simmons, Judith Bratten Simmons,
William R. Bratten, Jr. and Barbara T. Bratten

to

5.10.1991

Thomas C. Robinson, Jr. and Diane M. Robinson,
William H. Littleton and Ann Rhodes Littleton

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238/936

William R. Bratten, Judith Bratten Simmons, Howard
Beckwith Simmons

to

3.5.1986

William R. Bratten, Jr.

PLC 235/913

William R. Bratten

to

7.22.1985

William R. Bratten, et al.

RSM 45/496

The Baptist Home of the District of Columbia

to

9.3.1942

William R. Bratten

Lot No. 2

RSM 45/213

Emma A. Millard

to

5.7.1942

The Baptist Home of the District of Columbia

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WLR 8/102

Lydia M. Williams
Samuel G. Williams

to

9.9.1914

George W. Millard

Lot No. 2

CL 33/191

Frederick Powers, Celeste Powers, George H. Webb

to

10.9.1906

Margaret A. Millard

CL 33/179

Samuel G. Williams and Lydia M. Williams

to

11.26.1906

Margaret A. Webb

CL 18/687

John W. T. Webb and Annie V. Webb

to

9.14.1894

Thomas J. Webb

home property of Samuel Webb, late of Dorchester County
Lot No. 1

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FJH 9/586

John W. T. Webb, Trustee

to

9.28.1874

Thomas J. Webb

Decree of Circuit Court, 3.18.1873, whereon John W. T. Webb, trustee of Samuel Webb, lunatic, is complainant, and Samuel Webb, lunatic, is defendant (No. 780 Chancery)

ER 17/76

Thomas Byrn, and wife Louisa

to

12.7.1838

Samuel Webb

\$60. Part of Lot 21, purchased by Thomas Byrn from John Ennalls and wife...beginning at the northwest corner of Middle and

Low

streets in the town of Vienna and running eighty three feet on Low then with a straight line across the lot to intersect the lot purchased by Samuel Webb from Doctor William Jackson

then

binding with the lot eighty feet to Middle Street

ER 17/28

William Jackson and wife, Margaret

to

10.26.1838

Samuel Webb

\$66.



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Lake, Griffing, & Stevenson-1877

9. Major Bibliographical References

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Dorchester County Land Records, various volumes, Dorchester County Courthouse.
Seventh Census of the United States, 1850, Dorchester County Population Schedule.
Tombstone Records of Dorchester County, Maryland, 1678-2002, Dorchester County Historical Society.

10. Geographical Data

Acreage of surveyed property 44,800 square feet
Acreage of historical setting 1 +/- acre
Quadrangle name Mardela Springs, MD

Quadrangle scale: 1:24,000

Verbal boundary description and justification

The metes and bounds of this property are coincidental with the current boundary of the lot.

11. Form Prepared by

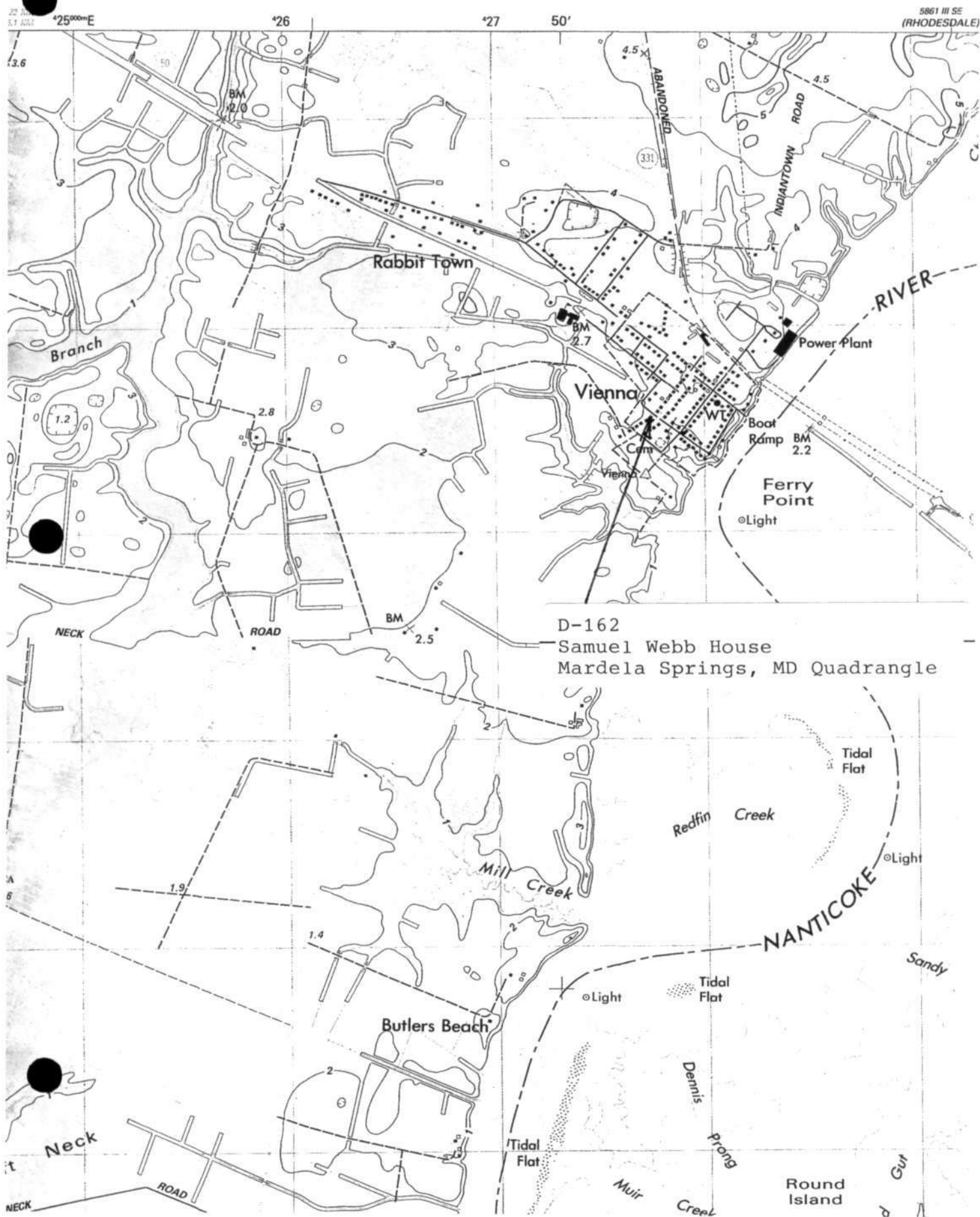
name/title	Paul B. Touart, Architectural Historian		
organization	Chesapeake Country Heritage & Preservation	date	7.20.09
street & number	Cedar Hill, P. O. Box 5	telephone	410-651-1094
city or town	Westover	state	Maryland 21871

The Maryland Inventory of Historic Properties was officially created by an Act of the Maryland Legislature to be found in the Annotated Code of Maryland, Article 41, Section 181 KA, 1974 supplement.

The survey and inventory are being prepared for information and record purposes only and do not constitute any infringement of individual property rights.

return to: Maryland Historical Trust
DHCD/DHCP
100 Community Place
Crownsville, MD 21032-2023
410-514-7600

TATES THE INTERIOR SURVEY





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SAMUEL WEBB HOUSE

VIENNA, DORCHESTER CO. MD.

SOUTHEAST ELEVATION

7. 2109 PAUL B. TOWANT, PITMAN.

NEB / MD. HISTORICAL TRUST

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NO
TRESPASSING



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SAMUEL WEBB HOUSE

VIENNA DORCHESTER Co. MA.

SOUTHERN ELEVATION - ENTRANCE

7. 2009, PAUL B. TOWNSEND, PITUIT.

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Samuel Webb House

Vicinity, Dorchester Co., Md.

Northwest Elevation

7.2009 Paul B. Touart Photo.

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Samuel WEBB House
Vernon, Dorchester Co.
MD.
NORTHEAST ELEV.

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SAMUEL WEBB HOUSE

VIENNA, DORCHESTER CO., MD.

SOUTHEAST ELEV. & PORCH

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W. / MD. HIST. TRUST

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Samuel WEBB House
Vienna, DORCHESTER Co.
Md.

Non~~re~~ntary SABCE-ED
7.2019, Paul B. Touart,
for the ~~re~~acted
Ver./ Mr. 1751. Trues
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Form 10-300
(Dec. 1968)UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
NATIONAL PARK SERVICE

N. R. FIELD SHEET

NATIONAL REGISTER OF HISTORIC PLACES
INVENTORY - NOMINATION FORM

(Type all entries - complete applicable sections)

STATE:	
COUNTY:	
FOR NPS USE ONLY	
ENTRY NUMBER	DATE

1. NAME			
COMMON:			
William Bratten House			
AND/OR HISTORIC:			
2. LOCATION			
STREET AND NUMBER:			
Market Street			
CITY OR TOWN:			
Vienna			
STATE		CODE	COUNTY:
Maryland			Dorchester
3. CLASSIFICATION			
CATEGORY (Check One)	OWNERSHIP		STATUS
District <input type="checkbox"/> Building <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Public <input type="checkbox"/>	Public Acquisition: <input type="checkbox"/>	Occupied <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Site <input type="checkbox"/> Structure <input type="checkbox"/>	Private <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	In Process <input type="checkbox"/>	Unoccupied <input type="checkbox"/>
Object <input type="checkbox"/>	Both <input type="checkbox"/>	Being Considered <input type="checkbox"/>	Preservation work in progress <input type="checkbox"/>
			Yes: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
			Restricted <input type="checkbox"/>
			Unrestricted <input type="checkbox"/>
			No: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
PRESENT USE (Check One or More as Appropriate)			
Agricultural <input type="checkbox"/>	Government <input type="checkbox"/>	Park <input type="checkbox"/>	Transportation <input type="checkbox"/>
Commercial <input type="checkbox"/>	Industrial <input type="checkbox"/>	Private Residence <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Other (Specify) <input type="checkbox"/>
Educational <input type="checkbox"/>	Military <input type="checkbox"/>	Religious <input type="checkbox"/>	
Entertainment <input type="checkbox"/>	Museum <input type="checkbox"/>	Scientific <input type="checkbox"/>	
4. OWNER OF PROPERTY			
OWNERS NAME:			
William R. Bratten			
STREET AND NUMBER:			
CITY OR TOWN:		STATE:	CODE
Vienna		Maryland	21869
5. LOCATION OF LEGAL DESCRIPTION			
COURTHOUSE, REGISTRY OF DEEDS, ETC:			
Dorchester County Courthouse			
STREET AND NUMBER:			
High Street			
CITY OR TOWN:		STATE	CODE
Cambridge		Maryland	21613
ACREAGE	APPROXIMATE ACREAGE OF NOMINATED PROPERTY: Deed Ref: 45/496		
6. REPRESENTATION IN EXISTING SURVEYS			
TITLE OF SURVEY:			
DATE OF SURVEY:			
Federal <input type="checkbox"/> State <input type="checkbox"/> County <input type="checkbox"/> Local <input type="checkbox"/>			
DEPOSITORY FOR SURVEY RECORDS:			
STREET AND NUMBER:			
CITY OR TOWN:		STATE:	CODE

STATE:

COUNTY:

ENTRY NUMBER DATE

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7. DESCRIPTION

CONDITION	(Check One)					
	Excellent <input type="checkbox"/>	Good <input type="checkbox"/>	Fair <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Deteriorated <input type="checkbox"/>	Ruins <input type="checkbox"/>	Unexposed <input type="checkbox"/>
INTEGRITY	(Check One)			(Check One)		
	Altered <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Unaltered <input type="checkbox"/>			Moved <input type="checkbox"/> Original Site <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		

DESCRIBE THE PRESENT AND ORIGINAL (If known) PHYSICAL APPEARANCE

Another of Vienna's simple Federal dwellings stands on the south end of Market Street, just beyond Church Street. It was owned in 1877 by T. J. Webb (see Lake, Griffing, Stevenson Atlas, 1877, Phila.). Like so many other houses in Vienna, the frame walls are covered with dirty-white asbestos siding which makes it look rather shabby. The one highlight of the building is its three bay Victorian porch which has jig-saw designs cut in the posts, arches, and cornice, reminiscent of cast ironwork of the same period. The house is composed of a five bay long, two story section with a one and one-half story wing. There are three chimneys at the gables. The facade is slightly off-center throwing the south window almost against the corner post. It was probably built in two sections. With a little care, the house could be as attractive as other houses in town.

8. SIGNIFICANCE

PERIOD (Check One or More as Appropriate)

Pre-Columbian ☐16th Century ☐18th Century ☐20th Century ☐15th Century ☐17th Century ☐19th Century ☒

SPECIFIC DATE(S) (If Applicable and Known)

AREAS OF SIGNIFICANCE (Check One or More as Appropriate)

Aboriginal

Education ☐Political ☐Urban Planning ☐Prehistoric ☐Engineering ☐

Religion/Phi-

Other (Specify) ☐Historic ☐Industry ☐losophy ☐Agriculture ☐Invention ☐Science ☐Art ☐Landscape ☐Sculpture ☐Commerce ☐Architecture ☐

Social/Human-

Communications ☐Literature ☐itarian ☐Conservation ☐Military ☐Theater ☐Architecture ☒Music ☐Transportation ☐

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE (Include Personages, Dates, Events, Etc.)

9. MAJOR BIBLIOGRAPHICAL REFERENCES

10. GEOGRAPHICAL DATA

LATITUDE AND LONGITUDE COORDINATES DEFINING A RECTANGLE LOCATING THE PROPERTY				O R	LATITUDE AND LONGITUDE COORDINATES DEFINING THE CENTER POINT OF A PROPERTY OF LESS THAN ONE ACRE			
CORNER	LATITUDE				LONGITUDE			
	Degrees	Minutes	Seconds		Degrees	Minutes	Seconds	
NW	°	'	"		°	'	"	
NE	°	'	"		°	'	"	
SE	°	'	"		°	'	"	
SW	°	'	"		°	'	"	

LIST ALL STATES AND COUNTIES FOR PROPERTIES OVERLAPPING STATE OR COUNTY BOUNDARIES

STATE:	CODE	COUNTY	CODE
STATE:	CODE	COUNTY:	CODE
STATE:	CODE	COUNTY:	CODE
STATE:	CODE	COUNTY:	CODE

11. FORM PREPARED BY

NAME AND TITLE: Michael Bourne, Architectural Consultant		
ORGANIZATION Maryland Historical Trust	DATE Summer, 1972	
STREET AND NUMBER: Shaw House, 21 State Circle		
CITY OR TOWN: Annapolis	STATE Maryland	CODE 21401

12. STATE LIAISON OFFICER CERTIFICATION

NATIONAL REGISTER VERIFICATION

As the designated State Liaison Officer for the National Historic Preservation Act of 1966 (Public Law 89-665), I hereby nominate this property for inclusion in the National Register and certify that it has been evaluated according to the criteria and procedures set forth by the National Park Service. The recommended level of significance of this nomination is:

National ☐ State ☐ Local ☐

Name _____

Title _____

Date _____

I hereby certify that this property is included in the National Register.

Chief, Office of Archeology and Historic Preservation

Date _____

ATTEST:

Keeper of The National Register

Date _____

STATE Maryland

COUNTY Dorchester

TOWN Vienna VICINITY

STREET NO. Market St.

ORIGINAL OWNER

ORIGINAL USE dwelling

PRESENT OWNER

PRESENT USE dwelling

WALL CONSTRUCTION frame

NO. OF STORIES two

HISTORIC AMERICAN BUILDINGS SURVEY
INVENTORY D-162

2. NAME Webb-Bratten House

DATE OR PERIOD early 19th cent.

STYLE Federal

ARCHITECT

BUILDER

3. FOR LIBRARY OF CONGRESS USE

4. NOTABLE FEATURES, HISTORICAL SIGNIFICANCE AND DESCRIPTION

OPEN TO PUBLIC nope

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5. PHYSICAL CONDITION OF STRUCTURE Endangered no Interior Exterior fair



6. LOCATION MAP (Plan Optional)

7. PHOTOGRAPH

8. PUBLISHED SOURCES (Author, Title, Pages)
INTERVIEWS, RECORDS, PHOTOS, ETC.

9. NAME, ADDRESS AND TITLE OF RECORDER

Michael Bourne
Maryland Historical Trust

DATE OF RECORD

Summer, 1972

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M. Bourne Summer 1972